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THE NASHVILLE MEETING

The eleventh annual meeting of the Association, held at Nashville April 2 and 3, was eminently satisfactory. Local arrangements had been made with care and thoroughness; the president presided over the meetings with the tact and sureness of the born administrator; the papers and discussions were unusually good. It was a hard-working meeting, with a longer program than usual, made still longer by an unexpectedly protracted discussion of business affairs. Yet the social side of the program had not been neglected by those in charge. The reception at Vanderbilt University, the luncheon at the George Peabody College for Teachers, and the luncheon at the Hotel Hermitage, tendered by the business organizations of Nashville, were most enjoyable. And, as always, the informal renewal of acquaintance and friendship was after all the great thing.

We are sure that the writers of the other interesting and valuable papers will pardon us for singling out as the most opportune the paper of Professor Lawrence W. Cole, of the University of Colorado, on "General Intelligence and the Problem of Discipline." Although we already had faith that "the act and practice of learning is of more value than the information acquired, and the learning habit may be usefully applied after the data by means of which the habit is formed have been forgotten," it was worth a long trip to hear our faith justified by a professor of psychology and education; for it was a professor of psychology who first cast doubt on the belief, and professors of education are prone to teach that

psychologists have disproved it. The paper appears in this number of the *Journal*.

Professor Herbert J. Barton, of the University of Illinois, was elected president for the new year; Professor C. E. Little, of the George Peabody College for Teachers, first vice-president; Professor Louis E. Lord, of Oberlin College, secretary-treasurer; and Professor William G. Hale, of the University of Chicago, to succeed himself as a member of the Executive Committee. The Association regrets to lose the devoted and efficient service which Professor Barton has given it for four years, but it has secured a worthy successor in Professor Lord; and it congratulates itself that for one more year Professor Barton will give the same devoted service as president.

The Association will meet in Chicago next year, at the University of Chicago. The classical departments of the University will be better prepared for our entertainment than ever before because of the realization of their 23-year-long dream—the completion of the magnificent Classics Building, into which they have already moved.

THE "JOURNAL" AND "CLASSICAL PHILOLOGY"

The chief matter of business discussed and decided at the meeting of the Association was the relation of *Classical Philology* to the *Journal* and to the Association. It was decided that for the coming year the *Journal* shall be published, as now, by The University of Chicago Press, that it shall be increased in size, that the membership fee of the Association shall be unchanged, but that *Classical Philology* shall be sent only to those who pay an additional 40 cents. When it is remembered that the regular subscription price of *Classical Philology* is \$3.00, it will be seen that it is still virtually a gift to members of the Association.

Under the arrangement which has been in force for the past five years *Classical Philology* has been sent without further charge to all who have paid the membership fee. For this service the Association has paid 40 cents a member, a total of nearly \$750.00 for the current year. This price covers merely the cost of manufacturing and distributing the extra copies required, no part of